

ME, 3 - PORT, 18 -

MAINE

Cumberland (3)

PORTLAND

2p

State

County

Town or Vicinity

Structure

Portland Merchants' Exchange (ME-133)

CCN ME0027

Middle St., N. side, between Exchange and Market Sts. Granite, 72' (seven-bay front) x 136', three stories, very low hipped roof with central Pantheon dome 63' diameter x 25' high, Greek Ionic 26'-high monolithic octastyle portico above ground floor. Built 1835-39. Richard Bond (1797-1861), architect. Outstanding Greek Revival building. Destroyed by fire January 8, 1854. 2 photocopies of daguerreotypes (1846 and 1854).

Card prepared July 1974.